Attachment 3.2.3

Market Rate Survey Instrument

State of Alaska Child Care Program Office: Provider Survey 2007

PHONE:

2007/08/06 13:03

phone, imported

=> +1
si 1>0

NAME:

2007/08/06 13:04

contact name, imported

=> +1
si 1>0

PLACE:

2007/08/06 13:05

name of child care facility, imported

=> +1
si 1>0

GEO:

2007/08/06 13:10

geographical area of child care facility, imported

=> +1
si 1>0

Anchorage.. 1
Mat-Su 2
Juneau 3
Southeast... 4
Fairbanks 5
Interior 6
Gulf Coast... 7
Northern.. 8
Southwest 9

TYPE:

2007/08/06 13:10

type of child care facility, imported

=> +1
si 1>0

Centers.. 1
Group Homes... 2
Homes... 3

INTR1:

2007/08/07 12:08

Hello, my name is ____ and I am calling to conduct a rate survey for Alaska's Child Care Program Office. Is this <PLACE>? [For Language: We are also doing this survey in Spanish. Would you prefer our Spanish-speaking interviewer to call you back?] [Online Survey Available: This survey can also be completed on the web. The link to the survey is: survey.arnorthwest.com/Alaska-Child-Care-Survey/]

Yes	01	=> INFO1
No	02	
Needs Spanish Interview	03	=> INT
Complete Interview in Spanish	04	=> INFOS

DQ1:

2007/08/06 13:23

Can you tell me the name of this organization?

hit 'enter' to record response	Y DO
Don't know (do not read)	7
Not applicable (do not read)	8
Refused (do not read)	9

DQ2:

2007/08/06 13:24

Has this facility's name changed recently?

Yes	1	
No	0	=> INT98
Don't know (do not read)	7	=> INT98
Not applicable (do not read)	8	=> INT98
Refused (do not read)	9	=> INT98

INTR2:

2007/08/06 13:56

The Child Care Program Office establishes the state's child care subsidy rates and works to improve the quality of child care. This survey helps evaluate current State Child Care Rates and enables the state to ensure they are continuing to enhance the balance of state rates. The three questions in this survey are about full-time child care rates for the facility, the number of children served on a specific day in July 2007, and how the facility was paid for the children it served and what, if any, help did the parents receive in paying for the child care. Am I speaking with the person who can answer the above information?

Yes	1	=> INT2B
No	0	
Don't know (do not read)	7	=> INT98
Not applicable (do not read)	8	=> INT98
Refused (do not read)	9	=> INT98

INT2A:

2007/08/06 13:57

Can you give me the name and phone number of the person that we should speak to in regards to the questions? I'd also like the individual's title, and the best time to reach that individual.

hit 'enter' to record responses	Y DO	=> INT97
Don't know (do not read)	7	=> INT98
Not applicable (do not read)	8	=> INT98
Refused (do not read)	9	=> INT98

INT2B:

2007/08/06 13:56
Can you tell me your full name?
hit 'enter' to record responses ....Y   DO
Don't know (do not read) 7   => INT98
Not applicable (do not read) 8   => INT98
Refused (do not read) 9   => INT98

INT2C:

2007/08/06 13:59
Can you tell me your title?
hit 'enter' to record responses ....Y   DO
Don't know (do not read) 7
Not applicable (do not read) 8
Refused (do not read) 9

INFO1:

2007/08/06 13:51
I am now going to ask three questions, please listen to each question and respond
accordingly. If at any time during the survey you would like me to re-read a response that is
allowed. If you do not know or do not want to answer a question please respond DON'T
KNOW or NO ANSWER.
hit 'enter' to continue ....Y   D

Q1:

2007/08/06 13:58
The first question is about Full-Time Monthly Rates charged for the month of July 2007 for
children in four age specific categories. Please say "NONE" if you do not serve any
children in that age group. First, do you charge the same rate for all children regardless of
age in your care?
Yes 1
No 0
Don't know (do not read) 7
Not applicable (do not read) 8
Refused (do not read) 9

Q1A:

2007/08/07 11:44
What is that rate? [Select the time period first ("per day" "per month" etc., then enter the
amount.] [DO NOT use words, $, or value ranges. Just enter the amount such as 3.75 or
540.]
none 0   => Q2
per hour.. 1   O   => Q2
per day 2   O   => Q2
per week.. 3   O   => Q2
per month.. 4   O   => Q2
Don't know (do not read) 7   => Q2
(Not applicable (do not read) 8   => Q2
Refused (do not read) 9   => Q2

Q1B1:

2007/08/07 11:47

For the month of JULY 2007 what was your FULL-TIME monthly rate for children ages... Birth through 18 months?   [Select the time period first ("per day" "per month" etc., then enter the amount.] [DO NOT use words, $, or value ranges. Just enter the amount such as 3.75 or 540.]

none 0	
per hour... 1	O
per day 2	O
per week... 3	O
per month... 4	O
Don't know (do not read) 7	
(Not applicable (do not read).. 8	
Refused (do not read) 9	

Q1B2:

2007/08/07 11:47

For the month of JULY 2007 what was your FULL-TIME monthly rate for children ages... 19 months through 36 months?   [Select the time period first ("per day" "per month" etc., then enter the amount.] [DO NOT use words, $, or value ranges. Just enter the amount such as 3.75 or 540.]

none 0	
per hour... 1	O
per day 2	O
per week... 3	O
per month... 4	O
Don't know (do not read) 7	
(Not applicable (do not read).. 8	
Refused (do not read) 9	

Q1B3:

2007/08/07 11:47

For the month of JULY 2007 what was your FULL-TIME monthly rate for children ages... 37 months through 6 years?   [Select the time period first ("per day" "per month" etc., then enter the amount.] [DO NOT use words, $, or value ranges. Just enter the amount such as 3.75 or 540.]

none 0	
per hour... 1	O
per day 2	O
per week... 3	O
per month... 4	O
Don't know (do not read) 7	
(Not applicable (do not read).. 8	
Refused (do not read) 9	

Q1B4:

2007/08/07 11:47

For the month of JULY 2007 what was your FULL-TIME monthly rate for children ages...
7 years through 12 years?   [Select the time period first ("per day" "per month" etc., then enter the amount.] [DO NOT use words, $, or value ranges. Just enter the amount such as 3.75 or 540.]

none 0
per hour... 1   O
per day 2   O
per week.. 3   O
per month.. 4   O
Don't know (do not read) 7
(Not applicable (do not read) 8
Refused (do not read) 9

Q2:

2007/08/07 11:47

The next question is about the number of children in four age specific categories that you provided care for on July 18, 2007. Please say "none" if you do not serve children in that age group. On JULY 18, 2007 how many children did you provide care for ages...
hit 'enter' to continue...Y   D

Q2A:

2007/08/07 11:49

Birth to 18 months
Don't Know (do not read) 77
Not applicable (do not read) 88
Refused (do not read) 99

Q2B:

2007/08/07 11:49

19 months through 36 months
Don't Know (do not read) 77
Not applicable (do not read) 88
Refused (do not read) 99

Q2C:

2007/08/07 11:51

37 months through 6 years
Don't Know (do not read) 77
Not applicable (do not read) 88
Refused (do not read) 99

Q2D:

2007/08/07 11:50

7 years through 12 years
Don't Know (do not read) 77
Not applicable (do not read) 88
Refused (do not read) 99

SKP11:

2007/08/07 11:57

=> /+2
sinon => /+1
si Q2A>=77

MOV11:

2007/08/07 11:57

=> *
si MOV(Q2A,SUM11)

SKP12:

2007/08/07 11:57

=> /+2
sinon => /+1
si Q2B>=77

MOV12:

2007/08/07 11:57

=> *
si IF((Q2B<77),MOV(Q2B,SUM12),0)

SKP13:

2007/08/07 11:57

=> /+2
sinon => /+1
si Q2C>=77

MOV13:

2007/08/07 11:57

=> *
si IF((Q2C<77),MOV(Q2C,SUM13),0)

SKP14:

2007/08/07 11:58

=> /+2
sinon => /+1
si Q2D>=77

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MOV14:

2007/08/07 11:58

=> *

si IF((Q2D<77),MOV(Q2D,SUM14),0)

SUM11:

2007/08/07 11:56

=> /+1

si 1 > 0

SUM12:

2007/08/07 11:56

=> /+1

si 1 > 0

SUM13:

2007/08/07 11:56

=> /+1

si 1 > 0

SUM14:

2007/08/07 11:56

=> /+1

si 1 > 0

TOT3:

2007/08/07 11:56

=> *

si SUM(SUM11,SUM12,SUM13,SUM14)

Q2E:

2007/08/07 12:01

I need to confirm the total number of children from this question. Please confirm the following statement by saying YES or NO: The total numbers of children you provided care for on July 18, 2007 was <TOT3>. Is that correct? [if no, go back to Q2A and re-ask questions]

Totals are correct ....Y   D

Q3:

2007/08/07 12:04

This final question is about how the facility was paid for children served on July 18, 2007. What was the number of children on JULY 18, 2007 that were paid for...

hit 'enter' to continue...Y   D

Q3A:

2007/08/07 12:15

Entirely by parents? (With no assistance of any kind)

Don't Know (do not read)	77	=> Q3B
Not applicable (do not read)	88	=> Q3B
Refused (do not read)	99	=> Q3B

SKP1:

2007/08/07 12:09

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=> INT99
sinon => +1
si (TOT3-Q3A)=0
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Q3B:

2007/08/07 12:15

Partially by the State of Alaska Child Care Assistance Program (PASS I, II, III)?

Don't Know (do not read)	77
Not applicable (do not read)	88
Refused (do not read)	99

Q3C:

2007/08/07 12:15

Partially by the Office of Children's Services - Protective Services?

Don't Know (do not read)	77
Not applicable (do not read)	88
Refused (do not read)	99

Q3D:

2007/08/07 12:15

Partially by a Tribal Organization or Native Corporation?

Don't Know (do not read)	77
Not applicable (do not read)	88
Refused (do not read)	99

Q3E:

2007/08/07 12:15

Partially by an organization not mentioned above? [enter number, then ask and record the name of the organization]

Don't Know (do not read)	77
Not applicable (do not read)	88
Refused (do not read)	99

SKP2:

2007/08/07 12:13

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=> INT99
si 1>0
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INT97:

2007/08/06 13:54
Thank you for your help, and have a good day/evening.
hit 'enter' to continue..YY   D   => INT

INT98:

2007/06/13 14:30
I'm sorry, but it looks like you are not qualified to participate in this survey. Thank you for
your time, and have a good day/evening.
Not Qualified 16   D   => /END

INT99:

2007/08/07 12:13
This concludes the Child Care Market Rate Survey for 2007. Thank you for your
participation.
Complete.. 08   D   => /END

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SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

The information below summarizes the key findings from the 2007 child care market rate survey. More detailed information is included in the rate tables that follow.

- Eight-thousand-two-hundred-forty (8,240) children are served by the respondents. Of the 8,240 children, 999(12%) were infants, 1,682(20%) were toddlers, 3,723(45%) were preschool age and 1,836(22%) were school age.

- Three-thousand-two-hundred-fifty-one (3,251 or 45%) children in care received some type of assistance paying for child care. Of <u>these</u> children:
    - 2,628 or 82% received child care assistance from the State of Alaska
    - 214 or 7% received assistance from the Office of Children's Services
    - 182 or 6% received assistance from a Tribal or Native Organization
    - 227 or 7% received assistance from another source

- Of the <u>total</u> children in care (8,240):
    - 2,628 or 32% received child care assistance from the State of Alaska
    - 214 or 3% received assistance from the Office of Children's Services
    - 182 or 2% received assistance from a Tribal Organization
    - 227 or 3% received assistance from another source

- Fifty-four (54%) of children in care were paid for entirely by their parents (without assistance).

- Approximately 50% of children on child care assistance are cared for in centers. The following reflects the percentiles that state child care assistance rates are in relation to current market rates for **center** care:
    - 16th Percentile for Infants
    - 22nd Percentile for Toddlers
    - 22nd Percentile for Preschoolers
    - 16th Percentile for School Age Children

- On average, based upon a median state rate across regions, in CENTERS:
    - 84% of infants were charged over the state rate
    - 78% of toddlers were charged over the state rate
    - 78% of preschoolers were charged over the state rate
    - 84% of school age children were charged over the state rate

- On average, based upon a median state rate across regions, in GROUP HOMES:
    - 22% of infants were charged over the state rate
    - 31% of toddlers were charged over the state rate
    - 37% of preschoolers were charged over the state rate
    - 27% of school age children were charged over the state rate

- On average, based upon a median state rate across regions, in HOMES:
    - 70% of infants were charged over the state rate
    - 67% of toddlers were charged over the state rate
    - 67% of preschoolers were charged over the state rate
    - 60% of school age children were charged over the state rate